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In re Application of:

HISADA et al.

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. This response is filed timely as it is accompanied by a petition and fee for a 3-month extension of time for filing a response under 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

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